

Appl. No. : 10/057,113
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REMARKS

Restriction to one of the following groups was required under 35 U.S.C. 121:

Group I Claims 81-93, 97-117, and 121-126, drawn to polypeptides, classified in class 530, subclass 350.

Group II Claims 94-96 and 118-120, drawn to polynucleotides and means of expression, classified in class 435, subclasses 69.1, 320.1, and 325.

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicant elects Group I, that is, Claims 81-93, 97-117, and 121-126.

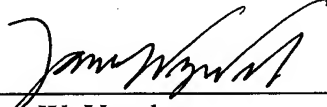
CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully requests that this application be passed to issuance. If any points remain that can be resolved by telephone, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-given telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

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